



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Toshihiko AOKI

Application No.: 09/899,911

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For: LIGHT SPOT POSITION SENSOR AND DISPLACEMENT MEASURING DEVICE

Group Art Unit: 2878

Examiner: S. C. Sohn

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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reply to the June 27, 2003 Election of Species Requirement, Applicant
provisionally elects species II (Figures 9-18) corresponding to claims 6-13 without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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